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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit : 1647  
Examiner : Regina M. DeBerry  
Applicant : Gregory M. Fahy, Ph.D.  
Appln. No. : 09/933,309  
Filing Date : August 20, 2001  
Confirmation No. : 7331  
For : GROWTH HORMONE THERAPY AND RELATED  
METHODS AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS

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Dear Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY  
EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT  
APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed January 13, 2004 finally rejecting claims 16-22 and 32-34.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of:

☐ other than a small entity  
☒ small entity

Verified Statement

☐ attached  
☒ previously submitted on August 20, 2001.

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**2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

X small entity  
\_\_\_ other than a small entity

Notice of Appeal fee due: \$165.00

**3. EXTENSION OF TIME**

*(complete (a) or (b) as applicable)*

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136 apply.

(a) X Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §§1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
<u>X</u> one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
___ two months	\$420.00	\$210.00
___ three months	\$950.00	\$475.00
___ four months	\$1480.00	\$740.00
	Fee:	\$55.00

**If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.**

**4. TOTAL FEE DUE**

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee: \$165.00  
Extension fee (if any): \$ 55.00

Total Fee Due: \$220.00

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**5. FEE PAYMENT**

X Attached is a check in the sum of \$220.00

— Charge Account No. 16 2463 the sum of \$  
A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

**6. FEE DEFICIENCY**

X If any additional extension and/or fee is required charge Account No. 16 2463.

**and/or**

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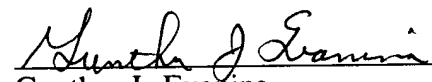
Respectfully submitted,

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